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Title

:IMAGE RETRIEVING APPARATUS, IMAGE RETRIEVINGMETHOD

:AND RECORDING MEDIUM FOR RECORDING PROGRAM TO

:IMPLEMENT MEDIUM FOR RECORDING PROGRAM TO IMPLEMENT

:THE IMAGE RETRIEVING METHOD

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Review of the application file has revealed the omission of the Foreign Priority data on the printed patent as a result of applicant's failure to fully comply with 35 U.S.C. 119, in that conditional requirements were not met. Applicant's attention is directed to MPEP 201.14(a), 37 CFR 1.17(i).

In view of the forgoing, applicant's request in this matter is hereby denied.

Any inquiry concerning this communication should be directed to Ms. A. Green at (703) 308-9380 ext. 123.

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